क्षमता के पूरा उपयोग न होने के मुख्य कारण ; मांग की तुलना में देश में उत्पन्न की गई उच्च क्षमता, अत्यधिक स्पर्धापूर्ण विपणन तथा ग्राहकों की अभिरुचि है । कंपनी में कार्यरत कर्मचारियों की कुल संख्या 3100 है । अगस्त, 1990 तक 25.98 करोड़ रुपए (अनंतिम) का निवेश किया गया है और 231.59 करोड़ रुपए (अनंतिम) की हानि हुई है ।

सरकार ने स्कूटर्स इण्डिया लिमिटेड के अध्ययन का कार्य इण्डस्ट्रियल डेवलपमेंट बैंक आफ़ इंडिया को सौंपा है । अध्ययन के लिए संदर्भ के निबंधनों में, अन्य बातों के साथ-साथ, देश में 2/3 पहियों वाले वाहनों के लिए मौजूदा चालू बाजार स्थिति का अध्ययन देश में विद्यमान उत्पादन स्कूटर्स इण्डिया लिमिटेड के लिए किसी ऐसे उत्पादन करने की क्षमता और उत्पादन के लिए विपणन जो, विद्यमान ब्रांड प्रमुखों के साथ सफलपूर्वक स्पर्धा में आ सके । विविधीकरण के क्षेत्रों आदि का अध्ययन शामिल है । आई० डी० बी० आई० से अनुरोध किया गया है कि वे अपनी अध्ययन रिपोर्ट, प्रतिमानतः 30 सितम्बर, 1990 से पहले प्रस्तुत कर दे ।

Setting up of a Chemical Industry in Tamil Nadu

2964. SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKATRAMAN : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state;

(a) whether there is any proposal to set up a chemical industry in Tamil Nadu from human hair as has been set up in Pondicherry; and

(b) If so, what are the details there of and by when the project is likely to be commissioned?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY) : (a) Government have not received any proposal to set up a chemical industry in Tamil Nadu based on human hair.

(b) Does not arise.

Filling of the Posts of Senior photographers in Lok Nayak Jai Prakash Narain Hospital, New Delhi

2965. SHRI RAMSINH RATHWA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that applications were invited from departmental photographers working in various hospitals of Delhi Administration, latest by 30th September, 1989, to fill up vacant posts of Senior Photographers exclusively reserved for Scheduled Caste candidates, in the Lok Nayak Jai Prakash Narain Hospital, New Delhi;

(b) If so, the total number of application received for the posts;

(c) The number of departmental candidates found suitable for these posts;

(d) whether the posts have since been filled up from amongst the candidates who applied for the posts;

(e) If not, what are the reasons for not filling up the posts even after a lapse of eleven months; and

(f) By when the posts are likely to be filled up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE

(SHRI RASHEED MASOOD): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) 1 (cne)

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(d) to (f) With a view to fill up the post. the candidate fulfilling the qualification is being called before Staff Selection Board for interview.

Suggestions by the representatives of Industry for change in Industrial Policy

2966. SHRI S. MADHAVAN: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of suggestions given by the representatives of industry to change the industrial policy for bringing about healthy industrial growth in the country, during the meeting with the Prime Minister, recently;

(b) whether they demanded a review of the various domestic controls;

(c) what are the suggestions given by them to attract foreign investment; and

(d) what action has been taken to implement their suggestions?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI AJIT SINGH): (a) to (d)

Statement

(a) The main suggestions given by the Confederation of Engineering Industry and ASSOCHAM are as follows:

(i) Simplification and transparency in different areas of controls and regulations;

(ii) Simplification of regulations for the SSI sector could be started first;

(iii) The existing compartmentalisation between large and medium, medium and small has been counter-productive. A new integrated policy should be evolved to encourage the concept of networking, backward and forward ancilliarisation etc;

(iv) Certain provisions of the MRTP Act, 1969, Companies Act, 1956 and FERA should be modified.

(v) Minimise protection of Indian industry in order to build Indian industry into international global players.

(vi) Increase autonomy of public sector enterprises.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The main suggestions given by representatives of industry to attract foreign investment are as follows:

(i) The restriction of 40% equity participation limit by foreign investers should be done away with;

(ii) Even in respect of areas where 40% criterion has to remain, an additional 11% should be permitted to be held by the development banks of investing country or a neutral agency, on the basis of the principles of automaticity and transparency;

(iii) Sanctions in permitted areas should be automatic;

(iv) For appropriate technology transfer, rules governing royalty terms, terms related to periods etc., need to be modified so that the parties are provided the requisite flexibility to negotiate;

(v) The concept of Build,Operate and Transfer should be adopted specially in infrastructural areas requiring huge investments;

(vi) Indian companies should b encouraged to set up plants/officees